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Woman's Trials.

The bitter trail in a woman's life is to be childless. Who can tell how hard the struggle may have been ere she learnt to resign herself to her lonely lot? The absence of this link to bind marital life together, the absence of this one pledge to mutual affection is a common disappointment. Many unfortunate couples become estranged thereby. Even if they do not drift apart, one may read the whole extent of their disappointment in the eyes of such a childless couple when they rest on the children of others. To them the largest family does not seem too numerous.

In many cases of barrenness or childlessness the obstacle to child-bearing is easily removed by the cure of weakness on the part of the woman. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription has been the means of restoring health and fruitfulness to many a barren woman, to the great joy of the household. In other, but rare cases, the obstruction to the bearing of children has been found to be of a surgical character, but easily removable by painless operative treatment at the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y., over which Dr. Pierce of the "Favorite Prescription" fame presides. In all cases where children are desired and are absent, an effort should be made to find out the real cause, since it is generally so easily removed by proper treatment.

In all the various weaknesses, displacements, prolapsus, inflammation and debilitating, catarrhal drains and in all cases of nervousness and debility, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is the most efficient remedy that can possibly be used. It has to its credit hundreds of thousands of cures—more in fact than any other remedy put up for sale through druggists, especially for woman's use. The ingredients of which the "Favorite Prescription" is composed have received the most positive endorsement from the leading medical writers on *Materia Medica* of all the several schools of practice. All the ingredients are printed *in plain English* on the wrapper enclosing the bottle, so that any woman making use of this famous medicine may know exactly what she is taking. Dr. Pierce takes his patients into his full confidence, which he can afford to do as the formula after which the "Favorite Prescription" is made will bear the most careful examination.

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E. S. Leadbeater & Sons, Special Agents.

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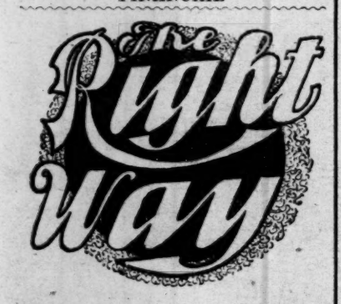

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and prepare yourself to take advantage of business opportunities when they present themselves, is to open a Savings Account with this reliable, safe and conservative institution. By so doing, you will accumulate a working capital which is going to prove of value to you when you need it most. It's a well known fact that money is a potent factor in accomplishing results. It can be used to accomplish much good and it is essential that you have on hand a fund of some kind in order to meet existing conditions. Why not open a Savings Account with us? It will start you on the right road to financial success and earn 3 per cent. interest compounded. Don't put off this important move by thinking you have not sufficient money to make the start. Remember OAKS WERE ONCE ACORNS, and that you can begin here with as little as ONE DOLLAR. Start today and watch the account grow.

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NOTICE.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA PAPER MANUFACTURING COMPANY will be held at the principal office of the company, No. 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, at 1 o'clock p. m. on MONDAY, January 21, 1907, for the purpose of the election of a board of directors and such other business as may be properly presented at the meeting.
JOHN B. THOMAS,
jan8 td Secre ary and Treasurer.

NOTICE.—Having qualified as administrator of the estate of JENNIE BERNHEIMER, deceased, all persons having claims against the said estate are hereby notified to present the same duly verified for settlement, and all persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified to make prompt payment of indebtedness to me.
JONAH BERNHEIMER,
jan8 10t Administrator.

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Contract advertisers will not be allowed to exceed their space unless the excess is paid for at transient rates, and under no circumstances will they be allowed to advertise other than their legitimate business in the space contracted for.

Marriage and death notices must be paid for in advance.

Resolutions in memoriam, of thanks, tributes of respect, resolutions adopted by societies or persons, unless of public concern, will only be printed in the paper as advertisements.

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Devoted to Educational and Museum Purposes.

Minister of Education Briand announced in Paris yesterday that the bishop's mansions, the rectories and seminaries taken possession of by the government under the church and State separation law, will in future be devoted to educational and museum purposes. The famous Seminary of St. Sulpice will become part of the Luxenbourg Museum.

Finance Minister Caillaux has directed the authorities of the mint to substitute on all coins the words "Liberty, Equality and Fraternity" for the old device of "God Protect France," in accordance with the amendment to the budget appropriation for minting coin which was adopted by the Chamber of Deputies December 1.

The departure of the expelled Sisters of the Assumptionist Order for Belgium yesterday was made the occasion for a demonstration at the railroad station. Major Drint, son-in-law of the late General Boulanger, led the cry of "Down With the Free Masons!"

In order to punish the Catholics of the Canton of Quend, 76 miles from Amiens, who are proposing to form a cultural association under the church and state separation law, Monsignor Dizieu, the bishop of Amiens, has ordered the withdrawl of the parish priest at Quend, thus compelling the suspension of public worship there.

Editor Sent to Prison.

Edward De Marny, editor of London Judy, was sentenced at the Old Bailey yesterday to two months' imprisonment for publishing obscene advertisements. De Marny is a well-known figure in periodical literature, the author of a number of books, a fashionable club man, a descendant of the French nobility and has the title of viscount.

Mr. De Marny published in his paper, in defiance of several warnings from the police, advertisements of continental vendors of obscene goods, whose circulars and publications, it issued in England, would have rendered the publishers liable to the criminal law. He was convicted of aiding and abetting this traffic, and this is the conviction that stands. The case was appealed to the Court for the Consideration of Crown Cases Reserved, presided over by the Lord Chief Justice, and the conviction was there affirmed. The Lord Chief Justice said that after hearing the arguments he had no doubt whatever as to the correctness of the conviction, and the other judges concurred. The case seems to establish that if an advertisement is published in pursuance of an illegal object, and the publisher is found by a jury to have had knowledge of its nature, he can be convicted as an accessory to the proposed crime.

Death of the Shah of Persia.

Shah Muzafier-Ed-Din Mirza, "Shah of Shahs," who had been ill for a long time, died at Teheran yesterday evening. Mohammed Ali Mirza, his second son, heir to the throne, and the ministers were present at the deathbed.

The public is not yet aware of the death of the Shah, as the official announcement is withheld until today.

It was evident Monday that the end was rapidly approaching and four injections of camphor were employed to prolong the ruler's life. All the Shah's vital functions were suspended yesterday, and at 5 o'clock yesterday evening the women of the palace also began preparations for mourning.

Soon after sunset the doors of the harem were closed. This was the sign that all was over.

Reputed to be the wealthiest monarch in the world, the Shah's reign was clouded by a malady which would not yield to medical treatment. During his visit to England in 1902, the most ambitious journey he undertook during his life, he was suffering such pain that in spite of the extravagant plans which had been made for his entertainment he was seen to smile but once during his stay.

Piles get quick relief from Dr. Shoop's Magic Ointment. Remember its made alone for Piles—and it works with certainty and satisfaction. Itching, painful, protruding, or blind piles disappear like magic by its use. Try it and see! Sold by E. S. Leadbeater & Sons, druggists.

Croup can posttively be stopped in 20 minutes. No vomiting—nothing to sicken or distress your child. A sweet, pleasant, and safe Syrup, called Dr. Shoop's Croup Cure, does the work and does it quickly. Dr. Shoop's Croup Cure is for Croup alone, remember. It does not claim to cure a dozen ailments. It's for Croup, that's all. Sold by E. S. Leadbeater & Sons, druggists.

Does Coffee disagree with you? Probably it does! Then try Dr. Shoop's Health Coffee. "Health Coffee" is a clever combination of parched cereals and nuts. Not a grain of real Coffee, remember, in Dr. Shoop's Health Coffee, yet its flavor and taste matches closely old Java and Mocha Coffee. If your stomach, heart, or kidneys can't stand Coffee drinking, try Health Coffee. It is wholesome, nourishing, and satisfying. It's safe even for the youngest child. Sold by E. S. Leadbeater & Sons, druggist.

A Hard Lot

of troubles to contend with, spring from a torpid liver and blockaded bowels, unless you awaken them to their proper action with Dr. King's New Life Pills; the pleasantest and most effective cure for Constipation. They prevent Appendicitis and tone up the the system. 25c at E. S. Leadbeater & Sons drug store.

Constipation

Baked sweet apples, with some people, bring prompt relief for Constipation. With others, coarse all-wheat bread will have the same effect. Nature undoubtedly has a vegetable remedy to relieve every ailment known to man, if physicians can but find Nature's way to health. And this is strikingly true with regard to Constipation.

The bark of a certain tree in California—Cascara Sagrada—offers a most excellent aid to this end. But, combined with Egyptian Senna, Slippery Elm Bark, Solid Extract of Prunes, etc., this same Cascara bark is given its greatest possible power to correct constipation. A toothsome Candy Tablet, called Lax-ets, is now made at the Dr. Shoop Laboratories, from this ingenuous and most effective prescription. Its effect on Constipation, Biliousness, Sour Stomach, Bad Breath, Sallow Complexion, etc., is indeed prompt and satisfying.

No griping, no unpleasant after effects are experienced, and Lax-ets are put up in beautiful lithographed metal boxes at 5 cents and 25 cents per box.

For something new, nice, economical and effective, try a box of

Lax-ets

E. S. LEADBEATER & SONS.

Crazed by Typhoid Uever.

After keeping the little suburb of Knowlton, Pa., on the Baltimore Central Railroad, in a state of terror for 24 hours, shooting at everyone who passed the house, Edward Richardson, 33 years old, of that place, delirious from typhoid fever, shot himself through the head, at Media station yesterday. He was placed on a train to be taken to a hospital in Philadelphia, but died on arriving at West Philadelphia station.

According to railroad employes, Richardson shot himself on the platform of the station, in the presence of a number of men and women, just as a train drew up. Attracting the attention of those about him, Richardson placed the revolver to his head and fired. Richardson held a responsible position with the Solid Steel Company, at Chester. He was married, had three children, and had lived at Knowlton for three years. For several days he has been confined to his home with typhoid fever. Two days ago he became delirious and imagined that certain persons were trying to kill him.

Monday afternoon Richardson took up a position at the second-story window of his house, and, with a .32-caliber revolver and a supply of cartridges, began shooting at every person that passed.

A Tragic Finish.

A watchman's neglect permitted a leak in the great North Sea dyke, which a child's finger could have stopped, to become a ruinous break, devastating an entire province of Holland. In like manner Kenneth McIver, of Vanceboro, Me., permitted a little cold to go unnoticed until a large tragic finish was only averted by Dr. King's New Discovery. He writes: "Three doctors gave me up to die of lung inflammation caused by a neglected cold; but Dr. King's New Discovery saved my life." Guaranteed best cough and cold cure at E. S. Leadbeater & Son's drug store. 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free.

Imprisoned in Debris.

Fireman John Seufert, who was supposed to have been killed when two other firemen lost their lives in the fire on Roosevelt street, New York, Sunday night, was that night discovered to be alive, but a prisoner hedged in by tons of debris in the ruins of the big warehouse. This morning at 1:47 o'clock after heroic work, fifty of his comrades, who dug down a mountain of bricks and timbers, he was rescued.

Seufert made his presence known last night to comrades who for nearly twenty-four hours had sought his body. He had been stunned when his companions were killed, and for hours remained unconscious. When he regained his senses he heard workmen about him and cried out. Into the debris a tube was forced, and communication with the firemen was established.

When the cold winds dry and crack the skin get DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co., 401 King street.

Engineer Thwarts Mob.

To thwart a mob waiting at Buford, Ga., to take Jim Carter, a negro, from a train and lynch him, a Southern Railway engineer opened his throttle and sent his train through town at a mile-a-minute speed.

On Saturday night the negro assaulted Mrs. Annie McCue. Yesterday morning, when he was captured twenty miles north of Buford and was put on a train to be taken to Buford, a great crowd, bent on lynching, gathered at the station.

A telegram was sent to the conductor of the train, who informed the engineer. The latter said he would save the negro. When two miles from Buford he opened the throttle and never stopped till Lawrenceville was reached, where the negro was jailed.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers, reliable little pills. Recommended by W. F. Creighton & Co., 401 King street.

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50c and 75c Dress Goods	29c	$25.00 Tailor-made Suits	$15.00
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25c and 37½c Wash Goods	12½c	$7.50 Black Taffeta Waists	$4.95
30c and 35c White Goods	19c	$6.00 Black Taffeta Petticoats	$3.95
$1.00 Table Linen	48c	$10.00 Black Taffeta Petticoats	$5.75
50c White Goods	29c	$1.50 Kid Gloves	$1.00

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Remnants of Dress Goods, Silks and Wash Goods at half.
85c Comforts at 65c. Millinery at Half. Coats greatly reduced. Furs nearly half.
65c Boys' Outing Pajamas at 50c. Blankets reduced.
Girls' Coats and Dresses reduced.
Men's 50c Shirts 3 for $1.00; nearly all sizes.
Men's $1 Shirts at 75c.
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The Goodloe Co.,

Bell 'Phone 207. Cor. Pitt and King Sts.

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We have only about twenty-five of the $5, $6 and $7 Skirts to offer at the very low price of $2.49 each. They are of Black Broadcloth, All-wool Cheviot and All-wool Panama; black, blue and gray. These are all good styles, but we want to close them out on account of the broken sizes.

Desirable Home For Sale.

If sold this week I can sell an elegant 8-room Bath, Pantry and Reception Hall House, fine concrete cellar, furnace heat, excellent location, at $4,150; easy terms. Apply at once.

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Real Estate Agent, 125 S. Royal St.
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Edward Quinn & Sons,

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CORNER OF KING AND ROYAL STREETS.

Statement of the Condition of

The Citizens' National Bank

of Alexandria, Va., November 12, 1906.

Officers.	Resources.		Directors.
E. L. Daingerfield, President.	Loans,	$509,765 15	E. L. Daingerfield,
	U. S. Bonds AT PAR,	125,000 00	
	Other bonds and stocks,	10,263 58	
	Banking House and Real Estate,	57,770 71	
Wm. H. Lambert, Vice President.	Cash and due from banks,	132,692 09	Wm. H. Lambert,
		$835,491 63	
W. F. Lambert, Cashier.	**Liabilities.**		W. F. Lambert,
	Capital,	$100,000 00	
	Surplus and profits,	98,910 43	Worth Hulfish,
Carroll Pierce, Ass't Cashier.	Circulation,	74,000 00	
	Deposits,	562,581 20	
		$835,491 63	M. A. Ahern.

Absolute security to depositors. Deposits received in our SAVINGS DEPARTMENT upon the most advantageous terms.

THIS IS NOT

one of the contestants in the six days walking match at Madison Square Garden, New York.—This is a woman ironing—that is, she is ironing when she is not running to and from the stove changing irons—but most of her time is spent doing the latter.

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WEDNESDAY EVENING, JAN. 9, 1907

THE TESTIMONY in connection with the wreck at Terra Cotta, near Washington, ten days ago, in which over fifty prople were killed and almost twice that number more or less injured, showed that another serious accident was narrowly averted a few hours later by the display of an improper signal on the same road. The fact that after the Terra Cotta disaster two trains had been allowed to enter the same block through the carelessness of a telegraph operator was brought out. It was also shown that an operator left a signal station at 6:12 on the evening of the accident when he should have remained until 6:30; also that he knew nothing of the extra train which collided with the passenger train. The operator acknowledged that twice a month he left his tower at 6:12 instead of 6:30. It developed recently during the examination into the cause of the accident that the special train was endeavoring to reach a point on the road where it would form the second section of another train. In this way it would lose no time in reaching Baltimore. These facts are suggestive and show that some radical reforms are needed in the running of railroad trains.

AT THE Jackson Day banquet and celebration at the Concord Club, in Baltimore, last night, State Senator Arthur P. Gorman, of Howard county, who is a member of the club, bit Governor Warfield hard, though he did not mention him by name. The inference from his remarks was, however, so plain that there could be no mistaking that he was making an onslaught upon the Governor whom he berated because of his attitude on the Poe disfranchising amendment. He accused the Governor of failing to do what he was elected to do, and said he was diverted by some mysterious influence. He also said the regular democrats are tired of electing men who cannot be trusted, and that the so-called independent democratic newspapers shall not make nominations for the democratic party. What Senator Gorman said was perfectly proper and right. The true democrats of Maryland should manage democratic affairs in that State.

ALTHOUGH the army appropriation bill carries more than $2,500 000 more than last year's, Chairman Hull, of the military affairs committee, on opening the debate on the bill yesterday, declared that it would be impossible for the government to continue this arm of defense without, in the near future, showing a much larger increase than is now made. Upon the subject of coast fortifications he stated that there already had been expended about $75,000,000, and he said it was proposed to continue the expenditure until about $125,000,000 shall have been expended. The cost of the U. S. army is more than that in many of the nations of Europe where immense standing armies are maintained.

SEVENTY-TWO members of the third class who took part in the fireworks escapade Saturday night at the Virginia Military Institute were very properly dismissed by a special order read at the evening parade yesterday but execution of the order was suspended pending a meeting of the board of visitors, soon to to be held. The cadets have only themselves to blame for their dismissal. They wilfully disobeyed the rules of the institute and the authorities had but one recourse left them in maintaining discipline.

From Washington.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.]

Washington, Jan. 9.

General Khan called at the State Department today to convey officially the news of the Shah's death. The usual messages of condolence will be sent by the State Department, through Minister Pearson, at Teheran, who also has informed the Department of the occurence.

Secretary of the Interior Hitchcock was today again "grilled" by the special Senate committee which has been investigating the affairs of the five civilized tribes of Indians in the Indian Territory. The particular question under consideration was his recent order withdrawing from allotment four million acres of lands belonging to the Indians for the purpose of making a forest reserve, in the face of the fact that Congress has passed a law providing for the allotment. In the course of the secretary's examination, he, in response to questions, indicated that it was his purpose to allow his order to stand, modified by labor recommendations from the Agriculture Department so as to make the reservation only about 1,500,000 acres. The committee manifested a strong curiosity to know upon what ground the secretary insisted upon his authority to act as he has done. He declared it was on a report prepared for him by Mr. Campbell, Attorney General for the Interior Department, which he intended to send to Congress within a few days. Senator Brandegee and other members of the committee insisted that the committee was entitled to receive that report and after some squirming the secretary agreed that he would send it to the committee this afternoon. Questioned as to what he would do if Congress took no positive action towards revoking his order Secretary Hitchcock intimated that it would stand, whereupon Senator Clark (Wyoming), chairman of the committee, remarked significantly that he would "regret to have the committee confronted with the possibility of having to make an issue of the subject." This direct reference to possible impeachment proceedings made the secretary uneasy and it was after this that he promised to send Campbell's report to the committee.

So startling have been the facts elicited by the Interstate Commerce Commission regarding the ineffective operation of the block system, that it has been determined to make a general investigation of the subject throughout the country along the lines developed in the inquiry into the terrible wreck on the B. & O. at Terra Cotta, D. C. Next Monday the commission will begin its announced investigation of the wreck at Lawyers, Va., on Thanksgiving Day, in which President Spencer, of the Southern Railroad, was killed. Later, other railroads will be taken up. The commission has learned that there is a general disregard of the principles of the block system as it was originally devised, not only on the part of employes but by the railroads themselves. As the system is now operated it frequently occurs that two or three trains are within one block at the same time. This is permitted under the green signals which, it is said, means "proceed with caution." It is left to the discretion of the dispatcher when to have the green signals displayed, and to the judgment of the engineer as to what speed he may make with "caution." It is notorious among railroad men that trains often run at reckless speed under the green signals in the effort to make up time, and to prevent discipline to the engineer for his failure to do so.

A special edition of President Roosevelt's Panama message, liberally illustrated with pictures taken while he was making his recent inspection of the canal, has been issued by the government printing office. Persons desiring copies may obtain them at 50 cents each by sending to the Superintendent of Documents, Government Printing Office, Washington.

"Kill the river and harbor appropriation bill unless it contains an appropriation for the inauguration of the deep waterway between the Great Lakes and the Gulf," is the battlecry of the Illinois, Missouri and all of the State delegations of the Mississippi valley.

In getting the service pension bill before the Senate today, Mr. McCumber, chairman of the committee on pensions, declared that a greater obligation rested upon the government to pay a general service pension to survivors of the civil war than for the payment of a pension to the survivors of any other war in American history.

Anti-injunction legislation received another set-back today in the House committee on the judiciary, when Chairman Tirrell, of the sub-committee, directed at the last session of the House to report upon the advisability of anti-injunction legislation, failed to make his report.

Secretary of State Root appeared before the Senate committee on foreign relations today to discuss the pending treaty with Santo Domingo and to recommend several modifications thereto. He proposed changes in the Santo Domiogo treaty which would entirely relieve the United States from any responsibility for determining the extent of the outstanding debt of the republic, which question is being settled between the Santo Domingo government and the creditors themselves.

A bill making it a felony for any person to interfere in any way with the election of a federal officeholder was introduced in the House today by Mr. Pearre.

The Vice President laid before the Senate today a telegram from the Spokane (Washington) chamber of commerce, containing its resolution favoring a salary of $8,000, for senators and congressman and urging other commercial bodies to similar action.

The effort to give the republican national committee an opportunity to select it own chairman, rather than accept one designated by Postmaster General Cortelyou who is retiring from that position, took a new phase today. The point is made Mr. Cortelyou received his appointment as chairman from the committee itself and that he cannot relinquish the position by a mere unofficials statement through the public.

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SENATE.

When the Senate met today it passed a joint resolution offered by Mr. Hansbrough, authorizing temporary leaves of absence for homesteaders where climatic and other conditions result in hardships.

The Senate passed a bill authorizing the Secretary of the Navy to accept a sail boat for the use of the midshipmen at Annapolis.

Discussion of the Brownsville case was today postponed until tomorrow upon request of Mr. Foraker. He announced that Mr. Tillman, who was confined to his home by illness, expected to speak upon the subject at that time.

The Senate agreed to a resolution calling upon the Postmaster General for his authority for keeping postoffices open on Sundays. He was also asked to inform the Senate whether postal clerks and carriers were required to work more than six days each week.

Mr. Carter of Montana informed the Senate that he expected shortly to denounce the recent order of the Secretary of the Interior, withdrawing certain public lands for entry. He presented a resolution providing that no executive officer had authority to forbid and prevet the issuance and delivery of patents when the requirements of the homestead laws were observed. It went to the table.

HOUSE.

When the House convened today to finish the debate on the army appropriation bill, Mr. Hull, in favor of the bill, announced that he would not desire to use his remaining hour and a half, thus permitting the bill to be taken up early in the day under the five minute rule. Mr. Meyer made a speech advocating the erection of a monument at New Orleans to commemorate Jackson's victory there in 1815.

On a point of order that it was new legislation, Mr. Cooper today knocked out of the army appropriation bill the provisions that the office of lieutenant general shall not be refilled when General MacArthur, the present incumbent, retires.

Thirty strikers have been killed by soldiers in suppressing the textile strike in Orizaba, Mexico.

News of the Day.

In the Senate yesterday the bill limiting hours of service of railroad employes was discussed for an hour and many amendments suggested.

A tentative agreement appears to have been reached in the Senate that will result in the adoption of a resolution to investigate the Brownsville affair that will be satisfactory to both sides.

President Roosevelt will within a few days send another message to Congress giving further reasons for his order discharging the battalion of negro troops concerned in the Brownsville affair.

Mrs. Virginia E. Blythe, 75 years old, died Monday at the home of her son-in-law, Mr. R. P. Harrison, of Richmond. Mrs. Blythe was married twice, her first husband being J. J. Walthall, a well-known citizen in the old days of Richmond.

Representative Jones, of Virginia, arranged with President Roosevelt yesterday to receive a delegation of ladies from the Association for the Preservation of Virginia Antiquities on next Saturday at 11 a. m. The committee will invite Mr. Roosevelt to make an address under the auspices of the association during the Jamestown Exposition.

Because neither of the women he married some years ago cares to acknowledge him as her husband, A. F. Magerstadt, recently rearrested 12 years after he had escaped from the Norfolk county jail, may escape prosecution for bigamy. Both the women are living in the suburbs of Norfolk within a stone's throw of each other, are on friendly terms and are not at all disposed to make Magerstadt's term in jail any longer.

At El Reno, Okla., yesterday, during the examination of Corporal Knowles, colored, charged with shooting Captain Macklin on the night of December 21, it was developed that there was a plot to murder every white officer at the post. The preliminary hearing is in progress before United States Commissioner T. K. Mitts. The nature of the court's findings were sufficient to have Knowles placed in solitary confinement over night. Several negro soldiers were arrested at Fort Reno yesterday and are being held for examination following the trial of Knowles.

That E. H. Harriman and those friendly to him hold over $40,000,000 of the stock of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe road was one of the points brought out when the Interstate Commerce Commission resumed its inquiry into the Harriman lines in Chicago yesterday. Of this $40,000,000 of Atchison stock $10,000,000 has been acquired since last July by the Union Pacific. This was absolutely unknown by President Ripley and most of the Atchison board until it was brought out in the testimony given last Friday in New York by Comptroller William Mabl, of the Union Pacific, and which greatly surprised them.

Percy Martin, arrested in Huntington, W. Va., charged with robbery of the Seaboard Air Line train in Virginia, ten days ago, was taken to Richmond yesterday. He has made a full and complete confession, in which he says that he did the work single-handed, and that Charles Powley, now in jail at Boydton on a similar charge, had nothing whatever to do with it. Martin said that he was out of work and had been drinking heavily, and that he was overcome with the thought of the temptation that might beset his pretty young wife when her resources should become exhausted. The young man wept when he mentioned his wife.

Virginia News.

Mrs. Anna Virginia Golliday, wife of James G. Golliday, of Frederick county, died at her home near Stephens City Monday night aged sixty-one years.

Mrs. Sarah Gallahan, widow of Thomas Gallahan, of Stafford county, died Monday night at her home, near Stafford Court House, at the age of eighty-four years.

Rev. Dr. William E. Evans, rector of Monumental Church, Richmond, has received a call to the Church of the Advent in Birmingham, Ala., and is considering the call.

John L. Lee, of Lynchburg, has been retained to defend James A. and Phillip Strother, of Culpeper, charged with the murder of William Bywaters. The prosecution has retained Micajah Woods, of Charlottesville.

According to information received at Hampton General Frederick D. Grant, commanding the department of the Chesapeake, has recommended that the war department order the tearing down of the Sherwood Inn at Old Point.

At Front Royal, yesterday, the jury after two and one-half hours' deliberation, acquitted Wilbur H. Laing on the charge of criminal assault upon Gussie E. Merchant, aged fourteen. A doubt was created in the evidence relative to the girl's age.

Cortelyou Held Up.

Opposition to the confirmation of Geo. B. Cortelyou's nomination as Secretary of the Treasury developed yesterday in the Senate committee on finance when Mr. Cortelyou's case was brought up for action. At the request of Senator Daniel, of Virginia, and Senator Teller, of Colorado, the ranking democratic members of the committee, consideration of the nomination was postponed for a week. Neither Senator Daniel nor Senator Teller gave any reason for desiring the postponement, other than that they were not prepared to act in the matter. Their general ground of criticism is that Mr. Cortelyou had intimate dealings with great financial interests when he was chairman of the republican national campaign committee, and for that reason should not be placed in charge of the finances of the nation, a position in which his relations with these same financial interests would necessarily have to be continued. This is a revival of the old charge that Mr. Cortelyou made the big corporations disgorge large sums for the expenses of the republican campaign of 1904. How far the opposition to Mr. Cortelyou has made progress among democratic Senators is not clear.

It's a pleasure to tell our readers about a Cough Cure like Dr. Shoop's. For years Dr. Shoop has fought against the use of Opium, Chloroform, or other unsafe ingredients commonly found in Cough remedies. Dr. Shoop, it seems, has welcomed the Pure Food and Drug Law recently enacted, for he has worked along similar lines many years. For nearly 20 years Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure containers have had a warning printed on them against Opium and other narcotic poisons. He has thus made it possible for mothers to protect their children by simply insisting on having Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. Sold by E. S. Leadbeater & Sons, druggists.

Today's Telegraphic News

GEN. PAVLOFF ASSASSINATED.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 9.—General Pavloff, Chief Military Procurator, was assassinated this morning while he was attending a court martial where several revolutionists were on trial.

A terrorist, disguised as a soldier, approached General Pavloff and emptied his revolver at the officer before any one could interfere. Soldiers and court attendants captured the assassin before he could escape.

The assassination occurred in the court yard of the military court building. Two policemen and a boy were wounded by the terrorist before he was captured.

Deed of a Jealous Man.

Riverdale, N. H., Jan. 9.—Crazed by jealousy of his children, Joseph Blanchette shot and killed his wife and then took his own life. Their bodies were found lying side by side early today. Blanchette left his wife three years ago, but occasionally visited her. Mrs. Blanchette was supported by her children, who had built a home for her. The husband was wildly jealous of the attention of the children for their mother, for whom he did nothing. Late yesterday he went to the Blanchette home in an ugly mood and sending the younger children away to relatives, he killed his wife and committed suicide. The Blanchettes left eleven children.

Missing Steamer Ponce.

New York, Jan. 9.—Alarm has succeeded apprehension over the fate of the steamship Ponce, now overdue nearly ten days, from Ponce, Porto Rico. Fifteen days have passed since she left Ponce.

The steamer Siberia, of the West Indian service, of the Hamburg-American line, reported upon her arrival, today, that yesterday, when one hundred miles south of Sandy Hook, she passed a quantity of wreckage floating on a smooth sea. It is thought the flotsam may have been from the missing steamer Ponce now ten days overdue.

Carried Out Dead Husband's Wish.

Boston, Jan. 9.—To carry out the death wishes of her late husband, Mrs Grace Allen has married Charles E. Thompson, a well known Boston physician. Dr. Thompson was the dead man's most intimate friend. When dying Allen called his friend and wife to his bedside joined their hands and besought them to care for each other. After waiting a few months, they have carried out his request.

Explosion of Keg of Powder.

Wilkes-Barre, Pa., Jan. 9.—The explosion of a keg of powder among a group of miners at the Wansmi Colliery of the Lehigh and Wilkes-Barre Coal Company, this morning, severely burned seven men, one fatally. The powder was on a mine car on which were seven miners, one of whom was sitting on the keg, when the powder was exploded, supposedly by a spark from the locomotive.

Earthquakes Predicted.

London, Jan. 9.—January 12 is to be a day of earthquakes in America. This is the prediction of Hugh Clements, a meteorologist, who makes frequent contributions to the newspapers. Just what locality will be affected Clements does not say, He has also predicted an earthquake to occur in Algeria today.

The Marlborough.

London, Jan. 9.—The deeds of separation between the Duke and Duchess of Marlborough has been signed. News that the deed was signed was announced today. It was announced that the Duchess is to keep Sunderland house in London and her own dowry, and to have the custody of her two sons.

Death of Trolley Magnate.

Reading, Pa., Jan. 9.—James W. Shepp, the trolley magnate, died this morning, at the Mountain Sunset Sanitarium, at Wernersville, of a complication of diseases. He was 49 years of age. Mr. Shepp started life peddling Bibles, subsequently publishing them and making millions.

Senator Clark's Successor.

Helena, Mont., Jan. 9.—Joseph M. Dixon, of Missoula, will be the successor of United States Senator W. A. Clard. He was nominated last night at a caucus of the republican members of the legislature receiving 49 votes. Former Senator Lee Mantle, 22, and United States Judge W. H. Hunt 1.

Mellody Won.

Augusta, Me., Jan. 9.—Honey Mellody, of Charlestown, Mass., the welter weight, was given the decision over Terry Martin of Philadelphia, at the end of fifteen rounds at the Augusta Athletic Association here last night. Martin was out-classed, although he out-weighed the champion by at least half a dozen pounds.

The Corbett-Murphy Fight.

New York, Jan. 9.—Young Corbett and Tommy Murphy and a score of their friends left for Philadelphia this morning, where they are to engage in a six round contest tonight. Corbett carried with him a $10,000 pool to be bet on the Denver boy.

J. Pierpont Morgan Ill.

New York, Jan. 9.—J. Pierpont Morgan is ill at his home. Rumor has it in Wall street that he is seriously ill. His son, J. P. Morgan, jr., however, said today that his father was suffering from a cold and was attending to his business at home.

Death of the Queen of Hanover.

Berlin, Jan. 9.—The Queen of Hanover died this afternoon at Gmundsen.

Miss Rixey a Bride.

The marriage yesterday of William A. Dearmont, the wellknown turfman and steeplechase rider of White Post, Clarke county, and Miss Sallie Rixey, daughter of Hon. John F. Rixey, member of Congress from the Eight Virginia district, of Culpeper was solemnized at 4:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the Presbyterian manse at Strasburg, Rev. A. C. Link, officiating. The bride and groom took the 5 o'clock train on the Southern Railway for Washington, on their wedding trip. They are to make their home at "Dearmont Hall," in Clarke county.

The bride is wellknown in society in Virginia and Washington.

It is undigested food that causes sourness and painful indigestion. Kodol is a solution of vegetable acids. It digests what you eat, and corrects the deficiencies of digestion. Kodol conforms to the National Pure Food and Drug Law. Sold here by W. F. Creighton & Co., 401 King street.

City Council.

There was a brief meeting of the City Council last night, at which, however, an average volume of business was transacted. It was mainly routine in its nature.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

Vice President Curtin presided in the Board of Aldermen in the absence of President Sweeney.

Mr. Burke, from the finance committee, presented the revenue bill for the year commencing June 1, 1907, and ending May 31, 1908. Its provisions are virtually the same as those of the last bill.

After it had been read Mr. Simpson called attention to the fact that the bill exempted machinery used for manufacturing purposes, which was contrary to the constitution. He, however, acknowledged that all members of Council favored the exemption, and that the Commissioner of the Revenue was supposed to use proper discretion in his assessments. But he thought Council was resorting to a subterfuge in the matter and portrayed certain difficulties attending the present procedure.

Mr. Burke said there was no attempt on the part of the finance committee to deceive any one. The bill was a copy of the law of last year. He desired that it be referred to the Finance Committee which would carefully consider all the sections.

Mr. Curtin expressed a desire to more thoroughly investigate the bill, and it was referred.

Mr. Burke presented a report of the finance committee on a petition of the drivers of the fire department. The committee recommended an increase of $2.50 per month in the pay of each.

The report was adopted.

A petition of George Heon for permission to allow a stable which he has erected in the rear of his store, No. 310 King street, to remain, laid over at the last meeting, was read. The Common Council had refused to grant the prayer of the petitioner, and Mr. Marbury suggested that consideration be again deferred in deference to Mr. Ballenger, who was not present, and on whose notice it had been laid over at the last regular meeting.

Mr. Simpson favored concurring with the lower board, and urged that the stable had been erected contrary to law, that an adjoining property-holder had objected to it and that it was a menace to the safety of other property in the square.

Mr. Marbury said he agreed with Mr. Simpson in all he had said, and reiterated that his suggestion was in defereuce to Mr Ballenger's wish.

The action of the Common Council was concurred in.

The Aldermen by unanimous vote concurred with the lower board on all the papers sent in.

COMMON COUNCIL.

The board was called to order at 7:50.

A communication from Superintendent of Gas Hantzmon tendering his resignation to take effect January 25, or earlier if possible, was read and on motion of Mr. Brill the resignation was accepted.

A request from the Carlin-Hulfish Hardware Company for permission to add a third story to its warehouse in the rear of its store was granted.

A resolution was introduced directing the joint committee on light, streets and general laws to prepare an ordinance regulating the placing of poles, wires, and general equipment of the electric company, and also appropriating the sum of $200 for expert consultation concerning the electric works, should it be deemed necessary. Mr. Leadbeater thought this was needed and other members of council agreeing, the resolution was adopted.

An application for an electric light at Franklin and St. Asaph streets was referred.

A resolution by Mr. Brill carrying with it an appropriation of $150 for the purpose of holding an examination for a superintendent of gas was passed.

Mr. Birrell introduced a resolution for the appointment of a special joint committee to confer with the officials of the telegraph and telephone companies with a view to a single line of poles on King street; referred.

Mr. Birrell also introduced a resolution appropriating $500 for the purchase of gas stoves to prove to the citizens the economic superiority in the use of gas for domestic purposes and this too was also referred.

Alonzo H. Travers asked to be relieved from the penalties for the non payment of taxes; referred.

Mr. Evans presented a paper signed by a number of residents of the Fourth ward, asking that Council take some action to have the sidewalk on the east side of Patrick street, between Franklin and Gibbon streets, improved. Mr. Evans said that this was one of the few places he had ever seen "where a person is compelled to walk in the gutter to keep out of the mud." The matter was referred to the committee on streets.

The committee on light was empowered to employ a suitable person to manage the gas works until a superintendent is selected by Council.

Mr. Williams introduced a resolution setting forth that Dr. A. Luria, president of the "Ideal Hospital Bed Company," of Chicago, desires to locate his factory in Alexandria, and directing the corporation attorney to prepare a fifteen year lease to the company for a piece of city property on the river front just north of the Old Dominion Glass Works, the lease to provide for a nominal annual rental and convey an option on the property. Mr. Williams said that the company had secured options on surrounding property on which to erect residences for skilled mechanics that will be brought here, and that a plant to cost not less than $25,000 will be erected if the action of the council on the proposition is favorable. He said the matter had the endorsement of the Chamber of Commerce of this city.

Mr. Williams also said that the company has contracts to furnish hospital beds to the governments of several of the largest foreign nations, and its reasons for wishing to locate near the national capital of this country are obvious. At the request of Mr. Williams the matter was referred to the committee on public property and finance.

Mr. Strauss called up the matter of allowing the electric railway company to use Cameron street from Payne street to the city line. Mr. Leadbeater, the chairman of the committee on streets, said that his committee had informed the attorney for the railway company that the proposition might be reported favorably if a written agreement to run a car on a fifteen-minute schedule between the ferry wharf and the union station were maintained. He said that the matter was up to the electric railway company.

A petition for the improvement of the roadway on St. Asaph street, between Franklin and Gibbon streets, was referred to the committee on streets.

W. F. Smith asked permission to repair a frame house and erect a frame kitchen at 1010 Princess street, and Marshall Stout asked permission to repair a frame kitchen at 1014 Queen street. The requests were granted on condition that there is no objection on the part of owners of adjoining property.

A resolution for an apporiation of $100 for a crossing at Oronoco and Patrick streets was referred.

Mr. Evans called the attention of the Council to the first message of the Mayor to that body concerning the extension of the corporate limits. As yet, he stated, nothing has been done, and the county, he said, proposed to incorporate so as to prevent any action being taken in the matter. He thought it was time to start along these lines, and was of the opinion that much good could be accomplished. There was much property, he declared, on the southern end of the city in which the county line runs through the houses.

The Chair informed Mr. Evans that he was of the opinion that a committee now has the matter under advisement.

Council concurred in the action of the Board of Aldermen in increasing the salaries of firemen and also in reference to the annual tax bill.

Brutal Assault.

A brutal criminal assault was perpetrated late Monday afternoon upon Miss Gladys Shelton, the 17-year-old daughter of Benjamin Shelton, a farmer who lives six miles from Lynchburg, in Amherst county. Five negroes are under arrest, Sheriff Beard having made a race for two miles across Amherst county with them to prevent them being taken by a mob. There is intense excitement in the county and the criminal will probably be lynched unless unusual precautions are taken to prevent it. The girl's condition is serious.

The negro knew the girl was at home alone. He went to the house and asked for something to eat, which she proceeded to get for him. In the kitchen he attacked her and threw her to the floor. In order to have both hands free and still prevent her from making an outcry, he placed his lips over her mouth and bit her lips together.

After the assault the negro pinioned the young lady's arm and took her to a stream a short distance from her home. She thought he was going to drown her. He changed his mind, however, when the creek was reached and released her, telling her to go, and he disappeared.

More dead than alive, the girl reached her nearest neighbor, a quarter of a mile away, consuming an hour to cover the distance. She collapsed and it was sometime before she could relate her story. The alarm was given and in several hours the country was being hunted over for the negro.

Richmond, Va., Jan. 9.—Nothing new has developed since late yesterday afternoon in the assault case in which Miss Gladys Shelton one of the prettiest girls of Amherst county, was the principal. The girl's condition today is all that could be hoped for. Dr. Don Scott, the attending physican, says her condition belittles description, being the worst he has ever heard of. There seems to be no doubt but the ravisher is in charge and is in the Campbell county jail, eighteen miles from the scene of the crime. It is not known when an effort will be made to identifiy him, as this depends on Miss Shelton's condition. The excitement in Amherst is subsiding, and no more excitement is probable until the negro is identified by his victim.

Cadets Expelled.

An order was read at retreat yesterday evening at the Virginia Military Institute dismissing the offending third classmen for their celebration with fireworks Saturday night, January 5. Since the episode the unfortunate cadets have been under arrest and have been subjected to rigid investigation by the commandant, Colonel Mills.

The order dismissing the cadets is as follows:

The following-named cadets, members of the third class, charged with wilful and deliberate violation of paragraph 123 of the regulations of the Virginia Military Institute, and found guilty as charged are hereby dismissed.

[Here follows the list of the names of the dismissed cadets, including two from this city.]

"Inasmuch as the regular semiannual meeting of the board of visitors, the court of last resort in these cases, is soon to be held at the institute, date not yet fixed, the execution of this order is suspended until the close of the last day of meeting of said board.

"All cadets herein named are released from arrest and will attend all duties and be confined to the limits of the barracks. Dismissal will be at once made final in case of any cadet herein named for any neglect or misconduct that may arise subsequent to the publication of this order."

Alarm in Tangier.

Tangier, Morocco, Jan. 9.—Foreign residents of this city are in a state of great alarm over the reported threats of Raisuli, the noted bandit, to kidnap members of the foreign colony as a method of making the Sultan restore him to authority.

Twenty Year Battle.

"I was a loser in a twenty-year battle with chronic piles and malignant sores, until I tried Bucklen's Arnica Salve; which turned the tide, by curing both, till not a trace remains," writes A. M. Bruce, of Farmville, Va. Best for old Ulcers, Cuts, Burns and Wounds. 25c at E. S. Leadbeater & Sons, druggists.

IN MEMORIAM.

In sad but loving remembrance of our dear husband and father, BENJAMIN GREENWOOD, who departed this life January 9, 1906—one year ago today.

We laid him away in his silent grave,
With tear-dimmed eyes and broken heart.
And little we though when in life
How soon we had to part.
And the one we loved so dearly
And tried so hard to save,
Lies in the graveyard softly sleeping
Where the flowers gently wave

BY HIS WIFE.

We still mourn the loss of one
We did our best to save—
Beloved on earth, treasured still,
Remembered in his grave.
You are not forgotten, father dear,
Nor will you ever be,
For as long as life and memory last,
We will remember thee.

BY HIS DAUGHTER, MRS. SARAH CROCKETT

Official.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Aldermen of the city of Alexandria, Va., held January 8, 1907, there were present:

Messrs. Burke, Hill, Marbury, Simpson, Curtin and W. H. Sweeney.

In the absence of the President, Vice President Curtin presided.

A petition from George Heon asking that a stable recently erected by him in the square in the rear of his property, No. 310 King street, be allowed to remain, received from the Common Council December 11, 1906, that board having refused to grant the request, was read and the action of the Common Council concurred in.

Mr. Burke submitted the law imposing taxes on persons, property, &c., within the city of Alexandria, Va., for the year commencing June 1, 1907, and ending May 31, 1908, which was read the first time and referred to the Finance Committee.

Mr. Burke also submitted the report of the Finance Committee on the petition of the paid drivers of the fire department, recommending an increase of $2.50 per month in the pay of each. The report was adopted.

The following were received from the Common Council and their action concurred in by unanimous votes:

Petition of Marshall Stout for permission to repair the kitchen of house No. 1014 Queen street.

Petition of W. F. Smith to repair frame house No. 1010 Princess street.

Petition of the Carlin-Hulfish Company for permission to add a third story to the warehouse fronting on the alley in the rear of their store, No. 315 King street.

Resolution to provide ordinances for the regulation of wiring, &c., by the Alexandria Electric Company.

Petition of H. H. Kelly for a sidewalk on Patrick street, between Gibbon and Franklin.

Resolution providing for the construction of a crossing at Oronoco and Patrick streets.

Petition of sundry citizens for a roadway on St. Asaph street, between Gibbon and Franklin.

Resolution directing the Corporation Attorney to prepare a deed of lease for certain real estate owned by the city near the Old Dominion Glass Company's plant to Dr. Luria, who contemplates establishing a manufactory in this city.

A petition of A. H. Travers asking to be relieved of penalty for non-payment of taxes on certain real estate.

Resolution appropriating $500 for the purchase of gas stoves.

Resolution providing for the appointment of a special committee to confer with telegraph and telephone companies with a view to the use of but one line of poles on King street.

Petition of sundry citizens for an electric light at St. Asaph and Franklin streets.

Resolution empowering the Committee on Light to employ a suitable person to superintend the gas works until a superintendent shall have been elected.

Resolution providing for holding an examination for Superintendent of Gas and appropriating $150 therefor.

Resignation of H. M. Hantzmon as Superintendent of Gas.

The board then adjournment.

J. E. N. CURTIN, Vice President.
Teste: LUTHER H. THOMPSON, Clerk.

COMMON COUNCIL.

At a regular meeting of the Common Council of the city of Alexandria, Va., held January 8, 1907, there were present: Hubert Snowden, esq., President, and Messrs. Leadbeater, Burke, Risheill, Strauss, Williams, Brill, Bender, Birrell, Monroe, Hellmuth, Harrison, Uhler, Marshall, Spinks and Evans.

The resignation of H. M. Hantzmon as Superintendent of Gas Works to take place on or before January 25, 1907, was received and accepted.

A resolution by Mr. Brill appropriating $150 to hold an examination for candidates for Superintendent of Gas, was passed—ayes 16, noes 0.

A resolution by Mr. President empowering the Committee on Light to employ a suitable person to superintend the City Gas Works until a superintendent is elected by Council, was passed.

A petition for an electric Light at the corner of Franklin and St. Asaph streets, was referred to the Committee on Light.

A resolution by Mr. Birrell appropriating $500 for the purchase of gas stoves to be installed in houses for cooking purposes, was referred to the Committee on Light.

A resolution by Mr. Birrell requesting the appointment of a special committee to confer with the representatives of telegraph and telephone companies with a view to the use of but one line of poles on King street, was referred to the Joint Committee on Light and Streets.

A petition from A. H. Travers to be relieved of the payment of interest on delinquent city taxes, was referred to the Committee on Finance.

A resolution to grant a deed of lease to Dr. A. Luria, President of the Ideal Hospital Bed Company, of Chicago, Ill., for city rent estate lying north of the Old Dominion Glass Company for a period of fifteen years at a rental to be fixed by Council, and the right of purchase, was offered by Mr. Williams by request and referred to Joint Committee on Finance and Public Property.

A petition for improvement to the roadway on St Asaph street, between Gibbon and Franklin streets, was referred to the Committee on Streets.

A petition from Henry H. Kelly requesting that improvements be made to the sidewalk on the east side of Patrick street, between Gibbon and Franklin streets, was offered by Mr. Evans and referred to the Committee on Streets, with request to report at the next meeting.

A resolution appropriating $100 for crossings on the west and north side of the intersections of Oronoco and Patrick streets, was offered by Mr. Birrell and referred to the Committee on Streets.

A resolution instructing the Committees on Light, Streets and General Laws to prepare ordinances providing for regulation of the equipment of poles, wires, fixture, &c., and for inspection of same, of the Alexandria Electric Company, as provided by contract, and for the regulation of wiring buildings for light and power, and appropriating $200 for the expense of expert consultation, should it be deemed necessary, was passed—ayes 16, noes 0.

Permission was granted Carlin-Hulfish Company, Incorporated, to add a third story, to rear of 315 King street, wood construction, covered with corrugated iron, provided there is no objection from adjoining property owners.

Permission was granted William F. Smith to repair frame house and erect kitchen at 1010 Princess street, providing there is no objection from adjoining property owners.

Permission was granted Marshall Stout to repair frame kitchen, rear 1014 Queen street, providing there is no objection from adjoining property owners.

An ordinance for imposing and collecting taxes on persons, property, income and &c., within the city of Alexandria, Va., for the year commencing on the first day of June, 1907, and ending on the 31st day of May, 1908, was received from the Board of Aldermen and referred to the Committee on Finance.

A report of the Finance Committee recommending an increase of pay to the drivers of the fire department, was received from the Board and their action concurred in—ayes 16, noes 0.

The board then adjourned.

HUBERT SNOWDEN, President.
Teste: DANIEL R. STANSBURY, Clerk C. C.

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Alexandria Gazette

Local Matters.

Weather Probabilities.

For this section fair, much colder tonight and Thursday; temperature about 25 degrees tonight; fresh to brisk northwesterly winds.

U. S. Court.

[Judge Edmund Waddill presiding.]

The grand jury, after the Gazette's report closed yesterday, returned the following indictments: Henry Smoot and James Kelson, charged with endeavoring to start a revolt on the steamer St. Johns, of the Randall line; Edward Loper, alias Ralph Elms, alias Edward Mires, charged with making false claims in an application for an increase of pension, and Edward Loper, charged with making a fraudulent affidavit in relation to a pension claim. The indictments against Smoot and Kelson, who were coal passers on the St. Johns, allege that at Colonial Beach, on August 1, 1906, the two men attempted to usurp the command of the vessel from Capt. Harry Randall, and that they also attempted to incite other members of the crew to revolt.

In overruling the demurrer filed by Attorney R. Walton Moore in the damage suit of Arthur G. Williams against the Washington, Arlington and Falls Church Railroad Company, Judge Waddill passed upon the question of whether or not the mere fact of a transaction, occurring on a government reservation gives jurisdiction to the United States courts. The negative of this proposition was set up in the demurrer, but Judge Waddill held that the court has jurisdiction. The plaintiff brings suit to recover the sum of $10,000, alleging that he was ejected from a car of the defendant company on the Arlington reservation. He is represented by Attorney Samuel G. Brent, of this city. The case was set for next Saturday.

As heretofore stated the case of Howard C. Knode against Crandall Mackey, commonwealth's attorney of Alexandria county, and Joseph E. Supplee, a justice of the peace of that county, for damages in the sum of $10,000 for alleged unlawful prosecution, has been dropped by direction of Attorney Lamb, of Richmond, counsel for the plaintiff. The case of Joseph A. Thompson against the National Bank of Fairfax, for $5,000 damages, was set for Thursday. The plaintiff alleges that a check he had drawn was protested by the bank. He is represented by Attorney Edmund Burke. Attorneys Moore & Keith appear for the defendant institution.

The grand jury today returned the following indictments:

J. O. Patterson, of Warwick county, for selling liquor without a license; Augustus M. Moring, of Warwick county, for failure to make proper entries in distillery books; Augustus M. Moring, for carrying on a liquor business without a license, and W. G. Bohr, of Stafford, for selling liquor without a licence.

The grand jury was then discharged for the term.

R. S. Kilby, of Culpeper, indicted for selling liquor without a license; jury and verdict of not guilty and accused discharged.

S. J. Hopkins, of Westmoreland, charged with violating the internal revenue laws; nolle pros entered.

The petit jury was then discharged till tomorrow morning, to which time court adjourned.

Mr. Brookes Released.

The release of A. Powell Brookes on bail in Winchester late yesterday evening, is taken to indicate that the charge preferred against him by Mrs. Alexander M. Baker will be dropped. Young Brookes had been held for 10 days, charged with attempting to shoot Mrs. Baker, the alleged affair having taken place in a room at a Winchester hospital.

Late yesterday evening Judge Wm. M. Atkinson, of the Corporation Court, released young Brookes on bail of $250 for his appearance before the grand jury on January 21, and the accused, accompanied by his brother, Wm. Brookes, and Judge J. K. M. Norton, of Alexandria, left on an evening train for Alexandria, the young man's home. They reached here last night. Bail was furnished by W. Roy Stephenson and Judge Norton, his attorneys, and his brother, William Brookes. Judge Norton requested the court to release young Brookes on his own recognizance. This brought a protest from Prosecuting Attorney James P. Reardon, who demanded substantial bond. The amount agreed upon was a compromise.

Mrs. Baker yesterday said she would not appear against young Brookes before the grand jury, and it is regarded as unlikely that that body, under the circumstances, will indict him. It is believed the case is ended.

"A Break for Liberty."

The International Amusement Company has made an elaborate production of one of the most successful melodramas ever written, "A Break for Liberty," which will be presented at the Opera House tonight. The scenes are laid in and around Pittsburg, and the escapades of the late Biddle brothers taken for the subject. The story of the piece is full of intense dramatic interest which holds its audience from the rise of the curtain until the final termination of the last act of the play. The author has departed from the every day melodrama where the villain, hero or heroine or some one else in the play must be shot every few minutes. It is true that in "A Break for Liberty" the play is not complete without the use of gunpowder. The use of firearms comes into legitimate play during two of the scenes, the escape from the Pittsburg jail and the desperate battle between the officers of the law on one side, the Biddle brothers and the warden's wife on the other.

Bold Robbery.

A bold assault and robbery was committed early last night a short distance east of the new union depot, between King and Prince streets. Two men entered the small fruit store conducted by a Brazilian named Manuel Travers and after purchasing fruit and tobacco to the amount of 75 cents presented a ten-dollar note. While the dealer was making change three other men rushed into the room and pointing a pistol at Travers ordered him to deliver up what money he possessed. When he failed to comply with the demand the three men who entered last threw Travers to the floor and after pulling off his pantaloons found $35 hid in an undergarment which they took as well as his pistol. Travers is unable to give any description of the five men. Some think they are tramps; others that they are local thieves.

Police Court.

[Justice H. B. Caton presiding.]

The following cases were disposed of this morning:

Bessie Keys, colored, arrested by Officer Arrington charged with assault, was dismissed.

A white man, arrested by Officers Lyles and Garvey charged with drunken and disorderly conduct, was sent to jail for 30 days.

Wm. Carter, colored, arrested by Officer Beach charged with trespass and disorderly conduct, was sent to jail for 20 days.

John Green, colored, arrested by Officer Jones charged with stealing chickens, was held for the county authorities.

A Disgusting Act.

Several years ago it was suggested in this column that were Hogarth alive he could secure some striking pictures at a certain corner where men who have long since marred the image of their Creator by tarrying too long with the wine, passed most of their time shivering and "panhandling" for stimulants. A suggestion for a a picture could have been secured in an alley in the western part of the city yesterday. A man who has long suffered from dipsomania was seen on his knees making a supper from a slop can. A resident of the neighborhood who witnessed the act caused the man to bring the "repast" to a close and procured something more palatable for him.

Robbed by Negro Footpad.

On Monday night while Mr. Norman Bender, an employee at one of the Alexandria glass plants, was near the overhead bridge in the vicinity of St. Asaph Junction, he was accosted by a negro who asked him for a match. While Mr. Bender was in the act of handing him the match the negro suddenly placed a pistol in his face and demanded his money and everything he carried in his pockets. After Mr. Bender had delivered up his money and various articles he had on his person, the negro allowed him to proceed.

Investigated the Row.

An item in this column last week stated that a row occurred Thursday night in a saloon in the northwestern section of the city conducted by a colored man, during which bottles were thrown by some participants. Officer Beach investigated the matter and ascertained that a war of words occurred in the saloon between some young colored men, when one of the party seized a bottle and running out of the place dared another negro to come out. There was, it is said, no bottle-throwing.

Royal Arcanum.

A well attended meeting of Alexandria Council, Royal Arcanum, was held last night. The officers elected last month were installed by Grand Chaplain W. T. Dabney, assisted by Grand Guide H. K. Field. During the evening interesting speeches were made by Rev. Dr. F. J. McFadden and Grand Chaplain Dabney After the meeting had adjourned the members and visitors repaired to Rammel Bros.' dining room where a bounteous repast was served.

Twenty Days' Sentence.

Three strange negroes invaded the yard of a colored man in the western section of the city early this morning. One of the trio had a wooden leg. When they were ordered to leave one of the darkeys cursed the occupier of the premises and threw a brick at him. He was arrested by Officer Beach and taken before Justice Caton when he gave his name as William Carter and said he was from Charlottesville. He was sent to jail for 20 days.

Mr. Hantzmon Resigns.

As anticipated, Mr. Harry Hantzmon, who for several years has held the position of superintendent of gas, last night resigned that office to accept a similar position in Charlottesville at an increased salary. The many friends of Mr Hantzmon in this city will regret that he has taken this step, believing that it would have been better for him to have remained in Alexandria.

Cooler Weather.

The weather during the greater part of yesterday and last night was warm and rainy. The wind, however, changed to the northwest early this morning, since which time clearing and cooler weather has prevailed. There was thunder and lightning in Baltimore yesterday as accompaniments of the summer temperature. The mercury at one time ascended to 61°.

Alexandria Athletic Association

The opening dance of the Alexandria Athletic Association last night was quite a success, notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather. The basketball team will play the Fendall Cadets, of Washington, tonight in the association's hall. The Fendall Cadets are the champion light-weights, of Washington, and a good game is expected.

Children's Ward.

A meeting of the children's ward committee of the Alexandria Hospital was held today at which the following officers were elected: Mrs. Zoro Hill, president; Mrs. J. L. Crupper, vice president; Mrs. Charles Bendheim, treasurer, and Miss Fannie Entwisle, secretary.

Warehouse Burned.

Mr. George S. French, secretary of the Alexandria Fertilizer and Chemical Company, received a dispatch from Sterling, Loudoun county, this morning stating that the company's warehouse at that place together with its contents was burned last night.

Week of Prayer.

The services tonight in connection with the Week of Prayer will be held in Trinity M. E. Church. Home and foreign missions will be the subject for consideration. Rev. Dr. W. F. Fisher will conduct the services.

To stop a Cold with "Preventics" is safer than to let it run and cure it afterwards. Taken at the "sneeze stage" Preventics will head off all colds and Grippe, and perhaps save you from Pneumonia or Bronchitis. Preventics are little toothsome candy cold cure tablets selling in 5 cent and 25 cent boxes. If you are chilly, if you begin to sneeze, try Preventics. They will surely check the cold, and please you. Sold by E. S. Leadbeater & Sons, druggists.

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Deaths.

Mr. William H. Hogan, a former resident of this city, died in Washington yesterday. The deceased was a native of Northumberland county, but he came to this city in early manhood and was for a number of years an employee in Mr. Isaac Eichberg's dry goods store. He at one time lived in Del Ray. His wife (daughter of the late B. F. Price) survives him.

Mrs. Susan Sprouse, wife of Mr. Richard Sprouse, died at her home, No. 817 Queen street, last night. The deceased was a native of Harper's Ferry, but she had resided in this city for several years.

Edward L. Jordan, a well-known labor man in the county, died at his home in Ballston last night of typhoid fever. He was born in Jersey City, N. J., in 1855, and was well known in this city where he was a member of Alexandria Lodge of Elks. He leaves a wife and ten children.

Mary Virginia, the thirteen-year-old daughter of Mr. Wm. J. and Mrs. Emma C. Fulton and granddaughter of the late James F. Carlin, of this city, died at the home of her parents at Fairview, Howard county, Md., last night. Her illness had been previously mentioned in the Gazette. Miss Fulton for the past year had made her home with her aunt, Miss Mary E. Carlin, in this city, and had many acquaintances, all of whom will deeply regret to hear of her death.

Meetings.

A number of meetings of stockholders of companies with Virginia charters are being held in this city during the month. Yesterday evening the stockholders of the Ontario Apartment House Company and the West Brothers' Brick Company and the McLachlen Real Estate and Loan Company met and re-elected their old boards of directors.

Today the stockholders of the Brunswick Apartment House Co., and the Swartzell, Rheem, Hensey & Co., held their annual meetings when the old officers were re-elected.

After the stockholders, meeting at the First National Bank yesterday evening the directors met and re-elected all the present officers with Mr. C. R. Hooff as president.

Y. M. S. L.

An interesting meeting of the Young Men's Sodality Lyceum was held at its hall on Duke street last night. The following officers were elected to serve for the ensuing year: W. M. Donnelly, president; James Roche, first vice president; M. C. Boone, second vice president; R. E. Power, financial secretary; M. E. Green, recording secretary; R. L. Carne, jr., treasurer; M. Creegan, sergeant-at-arms; E. J. Dwyer, librarian; J. A. Rice, Dr. E. A. Gorman, H. L. Wheatley, J. H. McCuen, Carl Rothmond, and T. J. McFarland, members of council.

Lost His Money.

Mr. A. W. Evans, of Stafford county, who served as a member of the U. S. grand jury in this city, today, after securing a check for seventeen dollars for his services, went to the First National Bank where he had the check cashed. Proceeding up the street he lost from his coat his pocketbook containing the seventeen dollars and about four dollars more which he had placed there. He reported his loss to the police.

The Banks Case.

Mr. R. H. Cox, City Sergeant, this morning received an official communication from Governor Swanson announcing that the sentence of death recently pronounced in the Corporation Court against Howard Banks, colored, for the murder of Thomas Elzey, had been commuted to life-imprisonment at hard labor. A guard from the penitentiary is expected to arrive here during the next few days to take Banks to that institution.

Woman's Auxiliary.

The regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary to R. E. Lee Camp was held last night. Only routine business was transacted. There will be a called meeting of the Auxiliary, held in the camp hall tomorrow, Thursday evening, 3:30 o'clock, which all members are urged to attend.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

The recently elected officers of the Lady Maccabees were installed last night.

The officers of Fitzgerald Council, Knights of Columbus, will be installed tonight.

A marriage license was issued in Baltimore yesterday to Eugene E. Behrend, of Washington, and Bertha Heinz, of Alexandria.

The Columbia Company's sand barge No. 2, which has been undergoing repairs at the shipard, was launched yesterday, and the tugboat James O. Carter hauled out.

Money was raised Monday night by Fort Myer Heights and Colonial Heights citizens to commence the building and repair of sidewalks in those county villiages. A special meeting of the Fort Myer Heights' Improvement Association was called for the purpose.

Odessa Butler, a young colored woman, called at police headquarters in Washington last night in company with her brother and told the police that she was lured into Virginia yesterday by a negro, and while on a lonely road between the end of the Aqueduct bridge and Rosslyn was chocked and criminally assaulted.

Mrs. J. H. Janney, of Alexandria, has reported to the police of Washington that her handbag, containing $35 in money and other articles, was stolen from the reading room of a Washington hotel Monday. She laid the bag down in the room and forgot it for a few minutes. When she looked for it again it was gone.

As has been announced the meeting of the Lavras Workers of the Second Presbyterian Church will be held in the church tomorrow night at 7:30 o'clock. Mr. Cameron Johnson will address the meeting. The address will be on the mission fields of Japan and Korea, with stereopticon views taken by Mr. Johnson himself and colored by Japanese artists. The public is invited to attend.

Oysters fried, stewed or raw. Dining room open on Sunday during oyster season. C. H. Zimmerman, Market Space. feb26tf

The Burdett-Coutts Will.

London, Jan. 9.—By the will of the late Baroness Burdett-Coutts, all the property of her vast estate which was at her disposal is left to her American husband, William Lehan Ashmead Bartlett, who on his marriage was permitted by Royal decree to assume the name Burdett-Coutts.

Personal.

Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Bryant, of Boston, who are visiting their son, Mr. B. F. W. Bryant, in this city, went to Washington today and were, by Senator Crane, presented to President Roosevelt with whom they had a very pleasant conversation.

Mrs. Charles P. Cleaveland and Mrs. A. E. Wilson, of Philadelphia, are spending a few days in this city, guests of Miss Blanch Rotchford.

Mr. George Beauregand Davis and Miss Medora Stephenson, daughter of the late Dr. David Stephenson, of Markham, Va., were married at the home of the bride's mother in that place Saturday, Rev. I. N. Campbell, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, officiating. Miss Elizabeth Zea, of Washington, was the bride's only attendant, and Mr. St. Elmo Davis, of Alexandria, acted as best man.

Railroad Officials Appointed.

Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 9.—Word has just reached this city from Pennsylvania headquarters in Philadelphia that this morning Joe. Wood was appointed first vice president of the Pennsylvania lines, west of Pittsburg, succeeding James McCrea; J. J. Turner, was appointed second vice president, succeeding Mr. Wood; Edward B. Taylor was appointed third vice president, succeeding Mr. Turner; D. T. McCabe was appointed fourth vice president, promoted from the position of freight traffic manager.

Burglars early today blew up the safe in the postoffice and general store of Simon Nunn, at Port Golden, N. J., and got fifty dollars worth of stamps, one hundred dollars in money, and two hundred dollars worth of watches. Farmers chased two men as the suspected burglars, but they escaped in the woods.

Only 82 Years Old.

"I am only 82 years old and don't expect even when I get to be real old to feel that way as long as I can get Electric Bitters," says Mrs. E. H. Brunson, of Dublin, Ga. Surely there's nothing else keeps the old as young and makes the week as strong as this grand tonic medicine. Dyspepsia, torpid liver, inflamed kidneys or chronic constipation are unknown after taking Electric Bitters a reasonable time. Guranteed by E. S. Leadbeater & Sons, druggists.

DON'T FORGET—Messrs. Blondheim & Swift have fresh grated Horse Radish for sale in the City Market, 25c a quart.

LARGE WHITE POTATOES 60c BU.

3 Cans Tomatoes, 25c; 4 Cans Corn, 25c; 8 lbs. Buckwheat, 25c; Cranberries, 10c qt.; Seeded Raisins, 10c lb.; Table Belle Flour, $4.50 bbl.

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Royal and Wolfe streets.

Puzzle.—The colder it gets, the hotter it is? Answer, Blondheim & Swift's prepared Horse Radish, "Hot as Blazes."

DIED.

Passed away Tuesday night, January 8, 1907, MARY VIRGINIA, daughter of Wm. F. and Emma Carlin Fulton, in her thirteenth year. Funeral from her parents' residence, Fairview, Howard county, Md., Thursday afternoon at three o'clock.

AN experienced DRESSMAKER, desires work at home. Address 112 north Henry street, Alexandria, jan9 2t*

B. P. O. ELKS.—Special meeting TONIGHT 7:30 o'clock, to take action on the death of our brother, E. L. Jordon. By order E. R. EDWARD J. FLEMING, 1t Secretary.

FOUND.—On King street, January 9, a POCKETBOOK containing a small sum of money. Owner can have same by calling at No. 917 Cameron street and identifying it. 1t

WANTED.—A good, reliable NURSE for child two years old. Must have references. Good wages. Apply Mrs. LOUIS S. SCOTT, 201 north Washington street. jan9 3t*

NOTICE.—Under the first by-law the annual meeting of the stockholders of the EUREKA MANGANESE COMPANY will be held at No. 504 Duke street, Alexandria, Va., on THURSDAY, the 24th day of January, 1907, at 12 o'clock m.
jan9 w3w-w L. W. REID, Secretary.

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Great Reduction Sale

One-half off on all Toys.

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If you want a fine flawless Diamond, reliable Watch or a fine piece of Jewelry we have it, and at the lowest prices.

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FANCY IMPORTED Smoked Bloaters.

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REAL ESTATE.

For Rent

220 north St. Asaph, 9 rooms, a. m. i., $25.00.

718 Queen, 7 rooms, a. m. i., $22.00.

500 Queen, 7 rooms, $16.00.

613 south Lee, 7 rooms, $12.50.

City Road, 6 rooms, $14.00.

N. E. Cor. Alfred and Wolfe, 8 rooms, $13.00.

411 Wilkes, 10 rooms, $12.50.

338 south Patrick, 6 rooms, $11.00.

216 south Fayette, 6 rooms, $9.50.

218 south Fayette, 6 rooms, $9.50.

241 south Peyton, 6 rooms, $8.50.

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Alexandria, Va.

January White Sale.

We announce our January White Sale, beginning Monday, January 7, and in this connection we can only say it is the most comprehensive display of white goods we have ever shown, and as this stock was purchased many months ago it enables us to offer many special values which we could not otherwise offer. We call your attention to the great variety and especially to the low prices of this display of fine quality White Goods.

New 1907 Hamburgs.

Our New Hamburg Embroideries for 1907 are now on sale, and we can safely say they are the finest we have ever shown and the prices are very reasonable, from 5c to 75c yard.

Special.

Two cases fine 40-inch White Lawn, in pieces running from 3 to 10 yards. Usual prices 15c and 18c yard. Special price, yard 11c.

New White Madras.

Yard 12½c, 15c, 20c and 25c.

New White Long Cloth.

12½c yard; piece..... $1.40
15c yard; piece..... $1.65
18c yard; piece..... $1.85
20c yard; piece..... $2.10

New White Nainsook.

12½c yard; piece..... $1.40
15c yard; piece..... $1.65
18c yard; piece..... $1.95
20c yard; piece..... $2.10

Ladies' New Muslin Underwear.

New Gowns, each..... 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.25
New Pants, each..... 25c, 50c, 75c
New Corset Covers, each..... 25c, 50c
New Skirts, each, 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.50, $1.98, $2.50 Ladies' $1.00 Muslin Underskirts. Special price, each..... 85c
Ladies' $1.25 Muslin Underskirts, each... 98c
During our White Sale we will sell ten dozen Ladies' Newly Trimmed Corset Covers. Special price, each..... 23c

Ladies' New White Lawn Waists.

We place on sale 10 dozen new White Spring Lawn Waists, $1.23 and $1.50 quality. Special price, each..... 98c

New Spring Fancy Organdies.

One case new Spring Fancy Organdies Beautiful Patterns. Special price, yd. 11c

AMUSEMENTS.

OPERA HOUSE.
ONE NIGHT ONLY.
Wednesday, Jan. 9
THE FOUR-ACT MELODRAMA
A BREAK FOR LIBERTY.
WRITTEN ON THE ESCAPE OF THE BIDDLE BROTHERS FROM THE PITTSBURG JAIL.
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SPECIAL PRICES—Gallery, 15c; Dress Circle, 25c; Reserved Seats, 35c and 50c. Reserved seats on sale at Warfield's drug store. jan7 3t

WANTED.—A COOK, one who knows how to do plain cooking. Apply at 417 south Fairfax street. jan3 3t

WE hereby give notice that we will not be responsible for debts contracted in Alexandria by Ines Weller, aged 19 years. dec8 3t Mr. and Mrs. S. D. WELLER.

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Made of splendid quality longcloth, cambric and muslin. Round neck, short sleeves, daintily trimmed with hemstitched ruffle, beading, and ribbon, the high and V neck, yoke back and front, finished with fine tucks; hemstitched: some with embroidery insertion; excellent width and length; sizes 15, 16, 17. Special,

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25 Boxes Fancy Sweet Florida Oranges.

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G. Wm. Ramsay.

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Lace Curtains, Portieres, Draperies and Upholstery Fabrics.

¼ to ½ Less Than Regular Price.

The collection consists of small lots and discontinued patterns in Lace Curtains, including Irish Point, Real Arabian, Cluny, Renaissance, Nottingham, &c., in lots ranging from 1 to 4 pairs of a kind.

This sale also includes importers' ends of Upholstery Fabrics, consisting of fine Silk and Linen Velours, in plain colors, and short lengths of discontinued designs in Tapestries, Damasks, &c. Also small lots and discontinued patterns in Portieres, among which are the newest and best-selling patterns of this season.

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Fourth floor—G st.

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In order to keep our workrooms busy we will make exceptionally low estimates for the month of January for the following classes of work: Slip Covers to order, Upholstering Furniture, Repairing Furniture, Refinishing Furniture, Polishing and Waxing Floors, &c.

Fourth floor—G st.

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Fourth floor—G st.

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This sale embraces household wares of the best grades; and the fact is well known to housekeepers that during the annual occasions they can obtain the best possible values in the worthy kinds of Chinaware, Glassware, and the several other classes of household needs. We offer from our regular stock many articles at specially low prices. We also offer several lots of new goods purchased from manufacturers at reduced prices especially for this sale.

This week's offerings include some exceptional values.

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CIGARS

The holidays are over and everybody is settling down once more to the regular routine of business, and we think this to be the opportune time to inform the good people that we have just purchased the finest lot of fillers to be had on the market, which will be used in the manufacture of our

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This filler is of a fine aroma, old and well cured, and we are satisfied will keep up the reputation of these two most popular brands.

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700 North Patrick Street, 7-room Frame..... $9.00

213 North Payne Street, 6-room Frame, with water..... $10.50

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for cooking the turkey and for baking is something you must have in advance. If you want a clean, free burning coal that will give just the kind of fire you need, place an order now with us.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE.—Having qualified as administrator of the estate of MARY E. WATKINS, deceased, all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same duly verified for settlement, and all persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified to make prompt payment of such indebtedness to me.

JOHN H. WATKINS,
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DRY GOODS

Big Sale of Remnants, Odds & Ends

The Whole Store Will Ring With Bargains This Week.

Taking stock is a hard job. Cash is easier taken up than stock. In a couple of weeks we begin stock-taking, and before starting we want to turn as much merchandise into cash as possible, and besides there are lots of odds and ends which must be sold before taking stock. What's the result? We shall cut, slash, yea murder prices until there isn't a vestige of profit left; even losses shall not stop us from gaining our point to take up as little stock as possible. So be wise; come today; come every day before taking stock and pick up a bargain here, there, everywhere for bargains are scattered all over the store. Take advantage of this opportunity.

We mention only a few of the bargains that will greet you.

One lot $1 Kid Gloves, slightly imperfect, for 59c.
One lot Children's White Aprons for 9c.
One lot Children's Outing Skirts for 9c.
One lot Calicoes (lights and darks) for 4c.
One lot assorted Outings, Flannelettes, Percales, Linings, &c., at half price.
One lot 12½c Madras Ginghams for 7½c.
One lot good Apron Ginghams for 5c.
One lot heavy yard-wide Cotton for 5c.
One lot yard-wide Bleached Cotton for 5c.
One lot Ladies' All-wool Scarlet Pants (small sizes) $1.25 value for 59c.
One lot Ladies' Fleece Pants (small sizes) for 19c.
Special lot Embroideries for 9c.
Special lot wide Embroideries for 12½c.
One lot Val. and Torchon Laces 3c.
One lot Fancy Mercerized Waistings, 25c value, for 12½c.
One lot 25c Belts for 10c.
One lot $1 Ladies' Mohair Waists for 49c.
One lot $1.50 sample All-wool Ladies' Flannel Waists for 59c.
One lot $1.50 Ladies' Dress Skirts for 98c.
One lot Table Oilcloths for 12½c.
One lot Ladies' Short Kimonas for 21c.
One lot Ladies' Long Kimonas, sold for $1, at 69c.

An immense, big lot of All-wool Dress Goods Remnants, consisting of Broadcloths, Cashmeres and Fancy Mixtures at a big reduction.

Immense sacrifices made on Coats and Furs See our window display.

Odd lot Children's Knit Underwear, 15c to 25c values, for 10c.

One lot Ladies' All-wool Sweaters at a big reduction.

One lot Fancy Bureau Scarfs, 20c value, for 9c.

D. Bendheim & Sons,
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Holiday Gifts.

Cards, Calendars, Books, Booklets, Episcopal and Catholic Prayer Books, Hymnals, Leather Goods, Toilet, Manicure, and Smoking Sets, Fancy Box Paper, Tree Ornaments. All the latest Copyright Novels, Post Card, and Photo Albums, and a hundred other pretty gifts for the holidays. The prettiest line ever shown and cheaper than ever.

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Alexandria Gazette.
WEDNESDAY EVENING, JAN. 9, 1907.

Cremated Child's Body.

Charles Peterson, a laborer, was arraigned in court in Chicago yesterday on a charge of having cremated the corpse of his child in a foundry where he was employed. The child died six days ago and Peterson was without sufficient funds to give it proper burial. He held the body in the house for five days hoping to secure sufficient funds for a burial. Occupants of adjoining buildings, who knew of the child's death, complained to the police that no steps had been taken to inter the body. When officers visited Peterson yesterday he informed them that, despairing of being able to obtain enough money to bury the child in decent fashion, he had carried the body to the foundry where he was employed and had burned the body in one of the furnaces. Municipal Judge Himes fined Peterson $25.

Mothers who give their children Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup invariably indorse it. Contains Honey and Tar. Conforms to the National Pure Food and Drug Law. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co., 401 King street.

Doctor Murdered and Robbed.

Murdered, robbed, and then cast over a bridge was the fate of Dr. Philip Johnson, a New York physician, whose body was found under the Jefferson street bridge in Portland, Oregon, Monday night. The body was horribly mangled and all the valuables except his watch fob had been taken. The physician was identified by cards found in his pocket. Dr. Johnson went to Portland with his newly-wedded wife two months ago to take up the practice of his profession and bought a site for a home in a fashionable section. Mrs. Johnson is the daughter of the late Gov. Hoadley, of Ohio. Dr. Johnson was the son of the late Archdeacon Johnson, of Staten Island, and a graduate of Columbia University.

DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills drive the poison from the body. A 25 cent box holds a week's treatment. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co., 401 King street.

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OPENING AND CLOSING OF MAILS

Northern mails, week days, close at 7 10, 8 55 and 11 00 a. m., and 1 35, 6 00, 8 15 and 10 15 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m., 12 00 m, and 4 30 p. m. On Sundays Northern mails close at 9 00 a. m., 2 00 p. m. and 7 20 p. m.

Southern mails via Charlottesville close at 7 10 and 10 20 a. m., and 1 35, 9 30 and 10 15 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m. and 2 30 and 4 30 p. m.

Southern mails, via Richmond, close at 9 45 a. m., and 3 30, 6 00 and 10 15 p. m. Open at 8 a. m. and 1 and 4 p. m.

Manassas Division mails close at 7 10 a. m. and 3 20 p. m. Open at 12 00 m.

Alexandria and Round Hill mails close at 7 30 a. m., 1 00 and 4 00 p. m. Open at 9 00 a. m. and 6 30p. m.

Chesapeake and Ohio mails close at 1 35 p. m. and 10 15 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m. and 6 30 p. m.

Washington mails close at 7 10, 8 55 and 11 00 a. m., and 1 35, 6 00, 8 15 and 10 15 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m., 12 00 m. and 4 00 p. m. and 4 30 p. m.

Office Hours—Open at 8 00 a. m. Close at 6 00 p. m.

Sunday Hours—Open at 9 00 a. m. Close at 10 00 a. m.

Carriers' Schedule—Collection made on inside routes—6 30 and 10 00 a. m. and 3 00 and 5 30 p. m. Full route—6 30 a. m. and 5 30 p. m. Sunday collection 5 00 p. m. Carriers' window open Sunday 9 00 a. m. and close 10 00 a. m.

Deliveries made 8 00 a. m. 1 p. m. and 4 15 p. m.

All mail should be in the office ten minutes before our indicated time for closing.

Wholesale Prices of Produce.

Flour Extra	3 50	a	3 75
Family	3 85	a	4 00
Fancy brands	4 50	a	5 00
Wheat, longberry	0 70	a	0 75
Mixed	0 70	a	0 74
Fultz	0 70	a	0 74
Damp and tough	0 60	a	0 65
New Cob Corn, per bbl	2 50	a	2 75
Corn, white	0 50	a	0 54
Mixed	0 48	a	0 52
Yellow	0 48	a	0 52
Corn Meal	0 65	a	0 00
Rye	0 50	a	0 60
Oats, mixed, new	0 48	a	0 50
White, new	0 48	a	0 50
Elgin Print Butter	0 32	a	0 34
Butter, Virginia, packed	0 16	a	0 20
Choice Virginia	0 25	a	0 27
Common to middling	0 14	a	0 16
Eggs	0 24	a	0 25
Live Chickens (hens)	0 10	a	0 11
Spring Chickens	0 11	a	0 12
Potatoes, per bu	0 60	a	0 70
Sweet Potatoes (barrel)	1 75	a	2 00
Yams	1 00	a	1 25
Onions, per bushel	0 80	a	0 90
Dried Cherries	0 12	a	0 14
Dried Apples	0 04½	a	0 06
Apples, per bbl	1 50	a	3 00
Dried Peaches, peated	0 10½	a	0 14
Chestnuts	4 00	a	5 00
Pork, per 100 lbs	7 50	a	8 50
Bacon, country hams	0 14	a	0 14½
Best sugar-cured hams	0 14	a	0 14½
Butchers' hams	0 14	a	0 14½
Breakfast Bacon	0 13½	a	0 14
Sugar-cured shoulders	0 10	a	0 10½
Bulk shoulders	0 10½	a	0 11
Dry Salt sides	0 10½	a	0 11
Fat backs	0 08½	a	0 09
Bellies	0 10½	a	0 11
Smoked shoulders	0 12	a	0 12½
Smoked sides	0 11	a	0 11½
Veal Calves	0 06½	a	0 07
Lambs	0 06½	a	0 08
Lard	0 10½	a	0 11½
Smoked Beef	0 16	a	0 18½
Sugars—Brown	4 34	a	4 39
Off A	4 45	a	4 50
Conf. standard	4 80	a	4 85
Granulated	4 85	a	5 15
Coffees—Rio	0 10½	a	0 14
LaGuayra	0 15	a	0 16
Java	0 18	a	0 26
Molasses B. S	0 9	a	0 14
C. B	0 17	a	0 22
New Orleans	0 20	a	0 45
Sugar Syrups	0 16	a	0 28
Porto Rico	0 18	a	0 35
Salt—G. A	0 58	a	0 60
Fine	0 85	a	1 15
Turk's Island	1 00	a	1 00
Wool—long, unwashed	0 28	a	0 29
Washed	0 28	a	0 29
Merino, unwashed	0 28	a	0 29
Do. washed	0 28	a	0 29
Herring, Eastern per bbl	6 75	a	7 50
Potomac No 1	3 50	a	4 25
No. 1 Cut Potomac Herring	4 25	a	4 50
Potomac family roe	4 50	a	5 00
Do. half barrel	2 25	a	3 00
Potomac Shad, per half bbl		a	7 50
Mackerel, small per bbl	13 00	a	14 00
No. 3 medium	14 00	a	14 50
No. 2	15 00	a	16 00
Plaster, ground, per ton	4 50	a	5 00
Ground in bags	5 00	a	5 50
Lump	3 50	a	3 75
Clover Seed	6 50	a	7 55
Timothy	2 25	a	2 0
Hay	23 00	a	24 00

LEGAL NOTICES.

VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 13th day of December 1906.

Catherine Makely, complainant, vs. Mary L. Makely, Carrie G. Makely, Kate E. Makely, Hallie A. Makely, Richard Lee Makely, an infant of the age of eighteen years; the Southern Railway Company, the Citizens' National Bank of Alexandria, Va., Sanders P. Jones and Lawrence Jones, joint merchants and partners trading under the firm name and style of Paul Jones and Company; Clara F. Marbury, executrix of the last will and testament of Leonard Marbury, deceased; Grace B. Kicherer and Fred Kicherer, defendants. In chancery.

The object of this suit is:

First. To have the last will and testament of Gotlieb Appich, deceased, construed and interpreted, and its true meaning established herein, and that it may be adjudged and declared that David A. Makely, deceased, had no interest, right or title in and to the square of ground situate in the city of Alexandria, and State of Virginia, bounded by Henry, Fayette, Wolfe and Wilkes streets, and that neither his heirs or assigns or his creditors have any claim upon or right to the fund under the control of the court in this cause, being a part of the proceeds of the sale of said square of ground, and that a decree may be entered directing the payment of the said fund amounting to fifteen hundred dollars ($1,500 00) to the complainant and to her daughters, defendants in this suit.

Second. For a settlement of the account of Leonard Marbury, trustee, under a deed of trust from David A. Makely, bearing date the first day of July, A. D., 1899. An affidavit having been made that the defendants, Sanders P. Jones and Lawrence Jones, joint merchants and partners trading under the firm name and style of Paul Jones and Company, and Clara F. Marbury, executrix of the last will and testament of Leonard Marbury, deceased, are not residents of this State, the said defendants are required to appear within fifteen days after due publication of this order, in the Clerk's Office of our said court, at rules to be holden therefor, and do what is necessary to protect their interests.

And it is ordered that a copy of this order be forthwith published once a week for four successive weeks in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper printed in the City of Alexandria, and be posted at the front poor of the Court House of the said city on or before the next rule day after the date of this order.

A copy—TESTE
CHARLES BENDHEIM, Clerk.
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, D. C.
Francis I. Smith, p. q. de15 w4w-s

VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 14th day of December, 1906.

City Council of Alexandria which sues &c., vs. Philip H. Hooff, jr., Vowell Hooff, if living, and his unknown heirs, if he be dead; the unknown heirs of Elizabeth B. Hooff, Lawrence Hooff and Mary Ann Smith, deceased; Bernard (Bun) Lee, Selia Cole and James Cole, her husband; Fanny Lee, Arthur Lee, James Lee and Sarah Lee, his wife; Edward Lee, John Lee, Fad Lee, Catherine Webb and John W. Webb, her husband, and others, the unknown heirs of Bernard (Bun) Lee, deceased; as may come into, take part in and share the expense of this suit. In Chancery.

Memo, The object of this suit is to subject the following property, in the city of Alexandria, Virginia—Beginning on the east side of Payne street 138 feet 8 inches north of Cameron street; and running thence north on Payne street 20 feet; thence east parallel with Cameron street 63 feet 2 inches to an alley 10 feet wide; thence south parallel with Payne street 20 feet; and thence west parallel with Cameron street 63 feet 2 inches to the place of beginning, with the use of said alley—to the payment of the lien of the City Council of Alexandria thereon for taxes, and all other liens.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendants, Philip H. Hooff, jr., Edward Lee, Fad Lee, Catherine Webb and John W. Webb, are non-residents of this State; and that whether Vowell Hooff is living or dead, his heirs, if he be dead, the heirs of Elizabeth B. Hooff, Lawrence Hooff and Mary Ann Smith, deceased, and the heirs of Bernard (Bun) Lee, other than those named in the bill filed in this cause, are unknown; It is Ordered, That said defendants appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect their interests in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

A Copy—TESTE
CHARLES BENDHEIM, Clerk.
By NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, D. C.
Samuel P. Fisher, p. q. dec27 w4w-th

VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 5th day of December, 1906.

Hattie Grinnell and Thomas Grinnell, her husband, vs. Priscella Gatewood and Charles Gatewood, her husband; Hugh Campbell, Laura Virginia Robinson and James Robinson, her husband, and Olive Campbell. In chancery.

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain a sale of the real estate in the City of Alexandria, Virginia, of which Nancy Campbell died seized and possessed, and a division of the proceeds among those entitled thereto.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendants, Priscella Gatewood and Charles Gatewood, her husband, and James Robinson, are non-residents of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendants appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect their interests in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

A copy—Teste:
CHARLES BENDHEIM, Clerk,
By NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, D. C.
Norton & Boothe p. q. dec5 w4w-w

W. H. MAY, President. | W. W. SHERWOOD, Sec. and Treas.

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AUCTION SALES.

By Samuel H. Lunt, Auctioneer.

AUCTION SALE.—Sale of a desirable house and business building on King street, between Washington and St. Asaph streets, Alexandria, Va.

By virtue of and pursuant to the terms of a deed of trust dated June 12, 1903, executed by Rachael V. Padgett (widow) to me, John W. May, as trustee, and of record in deed book No. 50 at page 250 of the land records of the city of Alexandria, Va., at the request and direction of the party thereby secured, default having been made in the payment of the note secured by the said trust, the undersigned trustee will offer for sale at public auction at the Royal street entrance to the Market Building, in said city, on

SATURDAY, JANUARY 26, 1907,

at 11 o'clock a. m., all that certain piece of land with the buildings and improvements thereon situated on the south side of King street, between Washington and St. Asaph streets, bounded as follows:

Beginning at a point on the south side of King street 87 feet 6 inches east of Washington street and running thence west of King street 21 feet 6 inches; thence south parallel with Washington street 100 feet; thence east parallel with King street 21 feet 6 inches, and thence north parallel with Washington street 100 feet to the beginning, the lot being improved by a good store and dwelling combined.

Terms of Sale: Cash. Conveyancing at the cost of the purchaser.

de15 30t JOHN W. MAY, Trustee.

By Samuel H. Lunt, Auctioneer.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, OWNERS of the following real estate in the city of Alexandria, Va., and bounded and described as follows: Beginning on the south side of Wolfe street, in the center of the square, between Columbus and Alfred streets, 123 feet 5 inches from Columbus street, and running south 100 feet to a 10-foot alley; thence west 15 feet; thence north 100 feet to Wolfe street, thence east 15 feet to the beginning, with the building and appurtenances thereto belonging, and known as 812 Wolfe street, will offer the same for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash on January 12, 1907, at 12 o'clock noon, in front of the Fairfax street entrance to the Courthouse.

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MEETINGS.

NOTICE.—THE ANNUAL MEETING of the GERMAN CO-OPERATIVE BUILDING ASSOCIATION, No. 5, of Alexandria, Va., will be held on THURSDAY, January 10, 1907, at 7.30 p. m., at their office, 313 King street.

JUSTUS SCHNEIDER, Secretary.
dec24 td

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the CONSOLIDATED QUARRY COMPANY will be held in the office of the company, No. 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., on January 14th, at 3:30 o'clock p. m.

H. P. GILBERT, President,
J. C. PRATT, Secretary.
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NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the EMERSON STEAM PUMP COMPANY will be held at the office of the company in the city of Alexandria, Va., on MONDAY, January 14, 1907, at 11 o'clock a. m.

R. BRUCE EMERSON,
dec29 td Secretary.

THE THIRTY-EIGHTH ANNUAL MEETING of the INDEPENDENT MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY of Fairfax county, Va., will be held in the company's office, 1194 south Royal street, Alexandria, Va., on MONDAY, the 14th day of January, 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m.

dec29 td. C. LUKENS, Secretary.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the DULIN & MARTIN COMPANY will be held at the office of the company, No. 128 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., on TUESDAY, January 15, 1907, at 2:30 o'clock p. m., for the election of directors and for such other business as may legally come before said meeting.

T. C. DULIN,
dec31 td Secretary.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.—Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the W. T. WALKER BRICK CO. will be held at 11 o'clock a. m., on WEDNESDAY, January 16, 1907, in the principal office of the company, Arlington, Va., for the purpose of electing a president and directors and transaction of other business. By order of the president.

CHAS. J. WALKER, Secretary.
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THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE WASHINGTON NATIONAL BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION of Washington, D. C., are hereby notified that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the said association will be held at the principal office of the association, in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, at eleven o'clock a. m., WEDNESDAY, January 16, 1907.

J. C. STODDARD, Secretary.
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THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the COLUMBIA NATIONAL SAND DREDGING COMPANY will be held at the offices of said company, No. 128 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, on THURSDAY, January 17, 1907, at 12 o'clock noon, for the election of directors for the ensuing year; for the consideration of a proposed amendment to the charter of the company, and for the transaction of such other business as may legally come before said meeting.

G. A. BONNET,
dec26 w3w-w Secretary.

PURSUANT TO THE REQUIREMENTS of the by-laws, notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the NEW WASHINGTON BRICK COMPANY, for the election of nine directors to serve for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may be brought before the meeting, will be held at the company's office, No. 111 south Fairfax street, in the city of Alexandria, State of Virginia, on the first Thursday after the second Monday, being the SEVENTEENTH DAY OF JANUARY, 1907, at noon. Polls will be open from 12 o'clock m., to one o'clock p. m.

T. L. HOLBROOK, President,
jan2 td WM. F. MATTINGLY, Secretary.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the POTOMAC STONE COMPANY will be held at the offices of said Company, No. 128 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, on THURSDAY, January 17, 1907, at 2:30 o'clock p. m.

CHARLES G. SMITH, Jr.,
dec27 w3w-th Secretary.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the ATLANTIC BUILDING COMPANY for the election of officers and directors for the ensuing year will be held at the office of the company, No. 123 south Royal street, Alexandria, Va., on THURSDAY, January 17, 1907, at 11 o'clock a. m.

M. M. PARKER, President.
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5:12 P. M.—Daily—Local for Warrenton and Charlottesville.

3:07 P. M.—Daily—New York and Atlanta Express—First class coach to Atlanta; sleeper to Columbus, Ga. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays Sunset Route Tourist sleeper Washington to San Francisco.

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